

# ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE OFFICERS  
OF THE TOWN OF

# ORFORD

## NEW HAMPSHIRE

for the

Year Ending December 31st

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## **TOWN OFFICERS**

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### **Moderator**

Elton C. Woodward

### **Town Clerk**

Hazel W. Huckins

### **Selectmen**

Marshall G. Hall

Henry A. Horton

Glenn F. Pease

### **Town Treasurer**

Hazel W. Huckins

### **Road Agent**

Bradley Z. Morey

### **Library Trustees**

Ruth M. Swan

Janet M. Becton

Dorothy M. Love

### **Auditors**

Elton C. Woodward

Chester Greenly

### **Supervisors of Check List**

Maurice F. Bean

Arthur L. Franklin

Harvey L. Washburn

### **Ballot Clerks**

Hattie B. Davis

Andrew J. Bedell

Jeffrey J. Bean

Dorothy Love

### **Overseer of Poor**

Harold W. Swan

### **Fence Viewers**

Walter R. Mack

Arthur L. Franklin

Norman C. Woodward

**Sextons**

Henry L. Patch  
Harvey L. Washburn  
Glenn F. Pease

**Peace Officer**

Lawrence Huntington

**Dog Constable**

Fred J. Sanborn  
Ralph R. Mack

**Surveyors**

Arthur L. Franklin  
Ralph R. Mack

**Trustees of Trust Funds**

William Dooley  
Fredrick L. Becton  
Gertrude V. Warren

**Budget Committee**

Hazel W. Huckins  
Henry A. Horton  
F. Fairfield McCann  
Norman C. Woodward  
Walter B. Dennis  
William Clark  
One Member of School Board

## TOWN WARRANT

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### State of New Hampshire

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To the inhabitants of the Town of Orford, in the County of Grafton, in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said Orford on Tuesday the 10th day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act on the following subjects.

First to adjourn to act on the School District Meeting.

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### Articles

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year: Also to choose one Selectman for three years, one Trustee of Trust Funds and one Library Trustee.

2. To hear the budget of the Town and raise and appropriate any money recommended therein or pass any vote relative thereto.

3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year.

4. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of Town Highways and Bridges for the ensuing year.

5. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the removal of snow and care of Town Winter Roads for the ensuing year.

6. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to insure Town property.

7. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the use of Electric Lights.

8. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Orford Free Library and Orford Social Library.

9. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

10. To see if the Town will vote to dispense with the distribution of inventory blanks until the Selectmen appraise the property.

11. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to sell and administer property acquired by Tax Deed.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum not to exceed one one-hundredth of one per cent ( $1/100$  of 1%) of the assessed valuation based on the assessment of 1952 for the purpose of publicizing and promoting the natural advantages and resources of the Town together with other towns in the Dartmouth Lake Sunapee Region.

13. To see if the Town will vote to accept State Aid for the construction of class V roads and raise and appropriate the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ for that purpose.

14. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the use of the Fire Department.

15. To see if the provisions of Chapter 171-A of the revised laws relating to playing games of Beano, shall be adopted in this Town.

16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) to cover the expenses of Memorial Day Celebration.

17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) for cleaning and care of the Mall.

18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) for a Community Center Fund.

19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Dollars (\$400.00) for the control of Pine Blister Rust.

20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for a Community Building with Gymnasium.

21. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors and Committees heretofore chosen and to pass any vote relating thereto and to transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our Hand and Seal at said Orford, this Twen-

ty-Seventh Day of January, in the year of our Lord One  
Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty-three.

MARSHALL G. HALL,  
HENRY A. HORTON,  
GLENN F. PEASE,  
Selectmen of Orford

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

MARSHALL G. HALL,  
HENRY A. HORTON,  
GLENN F. PEASE,  
Selectmen of Orford

# BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF ORFORD, N. H.

## Sources of Revenue

	Actual Revenue 1952	Estimated Revenue 1953
<b>From State:</b>		
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 3,755.54	\$ 3,000.00
Railroad Tax	5.55	10.00
Savings Bank Tax	116.51	100.00
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood and Timber		1,000.00
For Fighting Forest Fires—Refund	13.08	
Bounties	38.50	44.25
<b>From Local Sources Except Taxes:</b>		
Dog Licenses	322.07	300.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	102.50	
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	282.08	150.00
School Rents	364.32	100.00
Taxes bought by Town	733.68	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees—1951	18.22	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees—1952	2,617.37	2,000.00
Sale of Town Property	100.00	
Property Taxes—1952	35,494.99	
Property & Yield Taxes—Prev. yrs.	9,312.54	
Yield Taxes—1952	726.47	
Auto Head Taxes—1952	1,500.00	
Auto Head Taxes—1951	355.00	
Penalties on State Head Taxes	35.50	
<b>Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:</b>		
Tax Sales Redeemed	584.07	
Temporary Loans in ant. of taxes	12,000.00	
Refund—Conn. Valley El. Co.	8.00	
Sale of Cemetery Lots	50.00	
Abatements—1951	172.21	
Abatements—1952	51.08	
Cash Surplus	6,739.48	
<b>From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:</b>		
(a) Poll Taxes—Regular @ \$2—1952	476.00	600.00
Poll taxes—previous yrs.	164.00	

## Purposes of Expenditures

	Actual Expendi- tures 1952	Estimated Expendi- tures 1953
<b>General Government:</b>		
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 1,751.63	\$ 1,700.00
Town Officers' Expenses	929.65	1,000.00
Election and Registration Expenses	317.50	
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	353.46	500.00
<b>Protection of Persons and Property:</b>		
Police Department	50.00	50.00
Fire Department	384.25	800.00
Insurance	508.61	408.66
Bounties	44.25	
<b>Health:</b>		
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	136.80	100.00
<b>Highways and Bridges:</b>		
New Bridge	3,028.99	
Town Maintenance—Summer	2,909.40	4,000.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	2,956.90	3,000.00
Street Lighting	743.10	700.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	512.26	1,000.00
Town Road Aid	473.75	400.00
Cutting Bushes	450.40	550.00
<b>Libraries:</b>		
Libraries	550.00	
<b>Public Welfare:</b>		
Town Poor	1,264.23	1,000.00
Old Age Assistance	1,920.89	2,000.00
<b>Patriotic Purposes:</b>		
Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	41.67	50.00
Aid to Soldiers and Their Families	14.00	
<b>Recreation:</b>		
Parks and Playground, Incl. Band Concerts	100.00	100.00
<b>Public Service Enterprises:</b>		
Cemeteries	619.70	600.00

**Unclassified:**

Advertising and Regional Associations	70.00	70.00
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**Interest:**

On Temporary Loans	150.00	
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**Highways and Bridges:**

Taxes bought by Town	811.86	
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Abatements and Refunds	313.29	
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**Payment on Principal of Debt:**

(a) Bonds, Head Taxes—1951 & 1952	1,901.70	
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(b) Pay't on Temp. Loans in ant. of taxes	18,000.00	
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(c) Payment to Trustees of Trust Funds	400.00	200.00
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**Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:**

County Taxes	2,676.19	
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School Taxes and School Rents	32,511.71	31,413.84
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Total Expenditures	<u>\$76,896.19</u>	
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## RECOMMENDATIONS

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Town charges	\$ 8,275.00
Town Maintenance	4,000.00
Town Snow Removal	3,000.00
Town Road Aid	473.75
Electric Lights	700.00
Insurance	408.66
Orford Free Library	300.00
Orford Social Library	250.00
Fire Dept.	800.00
Dart. Lake Sunapee Region	70.00
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	\$18,277.41

HAZEL W. HUCKINS,  
HENRY A. HORTON,  
WILLIAM G. CLARK,  
WALTER B. DENNIS,  
NORMAN C. WOODWARD

## SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Lands and Buildings	\$904,421.00
Electric Plants	83,560.00
N. H. Electric Coop., Inc.	6,540.00
N. E. Power Co.	67,175.00
Conn. Valley Electric Co., Inc.	9,845.00
37 Horses	5,500.00
2 Oxen	700.00
336 Cows	59,175.00
80 Other Neat Stock	9,475.00
46 Sheep and Goats	460.00
2 Hogs	75.00
920 Fowls	1,050.00
2 Portable Mills	3,000.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.	4,148.00
14 Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	1,975.00
Stock in Trade	27,230.00
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Total Valuation	\$1,100,769.00
Soldiers' Exemptions	38,350.00
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Net Valuation	\$1,062,419.00

Amount of property valuation exempted to veterans	\$38,350.00
Number of inventories distributed	225
Number of inventories returned	175
Number of veterans who received property exemption	41
Number of veterans exempted from poll tax	70

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

HENRY A. HORTON,

GLENN F. PEASE,

Selectmen of Orford

June 12, 1952

Of the Town of Orford, N. H., in Grafton County  
for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1952

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HENRY A. HORTON,  
GLENN F. PEASE,  
Selectmen  
HAZEL W. HUCKINS,  
Treasurer

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## Liabilities

### Accounts Owed by the Town:

Bills outstanding	\$ 500.00
State Head Taxes—1952	535.00
Due to School Districts:	
Balance of Appropriation	10,000.00

### Outstanding Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes:

Maturity Date Jan. 25, 1953	2,000.00
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Total Liabilities	\$13,035.00
Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)	6,739.48
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	\$19,774.48

## UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION

### Receipts

#### From Local Taxes:

Property Taxes, current year	\$35,494.99
Poll Taxes, current year, regular @ \$2	476.00
Yield Taxes	726.47
State Head Taxes @ \$5	1,500.00

Total Current Year's Taxes collected and remitted	\$38,197.46
Property Taxes and Yield Taxes, previous years	9,312.54
Poll Taxes, previous years, regular @ \$2	164.00
State Head Taxes @ \$5—1951	355.00
Interest received on Taxes	282.08
Penalties on State Head Taxes	35.50
Tax sales redeemed	584.07

#### From State:

Interest and dividend tax	\$ 3,755.54
Railroad Tax	5.55
Savings Bank Tax	116.51
Fighting forest fires	13.08
Bounties	38.50
	3,929.18

#### From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog licenses	\$ 322.07
Business licenses, permits and filing fees	102.50
School Rents	364.32
Taxes bought by Town	733.68
Registration of motor vehicles, 1951 Permits	18.22
Registration of motor vehicles, 1952 Permits	2,617.37
	4,158.16

Total Current Revenue Receipts	\$57,017.99
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#### Receipts Other than Current Revenue:

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	12,000.00
Refunds, Connecticut Valley Electric Co.	8.00
Sale of Cemetery lots	50.00
Sale of town property	100.00

Abatements Levy—1951	\$ 172.21	
1952	51.08	
	<hr/>	223.29
Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue		<hr/> \$12,381.29
Total Receipts from All Sources		<hr/> \$69,329.28
Cash on hand January 1, 1952		14,321.57
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Grand Total		\$83,720.85

## PAYMENTS

### General Government:

Town officer's salaries	\$ 1,751.63	
Town officer's expenses	929.65	
Election and registration expenses	317.50	
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	353.46	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,352.24

### Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department	\$ 50.00	
Fire department, including forest fires	384.25	
Bounties	44.25	
Insurance	508.61	
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### Health:

Town dumps	136.80
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### Highways and Bridges:

New bridge	\$ 3,028.99	
Town Road Aid	473.75	
Town Maintenance		
Summer	\$ 2,909.40	
Winter	2,956.90	
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Street lighting	743.10	
General Expenses of Highway Department	512.26	
Cutting bushes	450.40	
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**Libraries:**

Libraries	550.00
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**Public Welfare:**

Old age assistance	\$ 1,920.89	
Town poor	1,264.23	
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**Patriotic Purposes:**

Memorial Day and Veteran's Associations	\$ 41.67	
Aid to soldiers and their families	14.00	
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**Recreation:**

Parks and playgrounds	100.00
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**Public Service Enterprises:**

Cemeteries	619.70
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**Unclassified:**

Advertising and Regional Associations	\$ 70.00	
Taxes bought by town	811.86	
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	313.29	
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Total Current Maintenance Expenses	<hr/>	\$21,256.59
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**Interest:**

Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	150.00
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**Indebtedness:**

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$18,000.00	
Payments to trustees of trust funds (New Funds)	400.00	
	<hr/>	18,400.00

### Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

State Head Taxes paid to State Treasurer		
(1951 Taxes \$430.72)		
(1952 Taxes \$1,470.95)	\$ 1,901.70	
Taxes paid to County	2,676.19	
School Rent	371.32	
Payments to School Districts		
(1951 Tax \$11,000.00)		
(1952 Tax \$21,140.39)	32,140.39	
	<hr/>	37,089.60
Total Payments for all Purposes		\$76,896.19
Cash on hand December 31, 1952		6,824.66
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Grand Total		\$83,720.85

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### SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

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Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$ 3,500.00
Furniture and Equipment	500.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	2,500.00
Furniture and Equipment	75.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings and Equipment	3,500.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	400.00
Equipment	8,000.00
Materials and Supplies	100.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	400.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings and Equipment	30,000.00
Mamie Pike land	500.00
Walter Perkins lot	50.00
Luther Brown lot	150.00
Eugene Stiffenezza lot	10.00
Jessie Fillian, 40 acres, B. W. Cheney land	500.00
Ralph and Gladys Marsh Place	1,500.00
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Total	\$51,685.00

**STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND  
TAXES ASSESSED FOR THE TAX YEAR 1952**

of the Town of Orford in Grafton County

**CERTIFICATE**

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Date: June 12, 1952.

HENRY A. HORTON,  
GLENN F. PEASE,

Selectmen of Orford

**Appropriations**

Town Officers Salaries	\$ 8,775.00
Fire Department	500.00
Town Road Aid	493.75
Town Maintenance	
(Summer \$3,500) (Winter \$3,000)	6,500.00
New Construction (Bridges \$2,000) \$2,000 from surplus	4,000.00
Cutting bushes	450.00
Tables for Town Hall	225.00
Community Center fund	200.00
Insurance	511.82
Street Lighting	675.00
Libraries	550.00
Memorial Day, Vet. Assoc., Old Home Day	50.00
Parks and Playgrounds inc. Band Concerts	100.00
Advertising and Regional Associations	70.00
County Tax	2,676.19
School Tax	31,140.39
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Total Town and School Appropriations	\$56,897.15
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 3,735.51
Savings Bank Tax	125.00
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of	
Growing Wood and Timber	2,153.82
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	2,000.00
Dog Licenses	325.00
Int. on Taxes and Income from Trust Funds	150.00

Sale of Tax Deeded Property	100.00	
Cash Surplus	2,450.00	
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Total Revenues and Credits		11,039.33
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		45,857.82
Plus Overlay		271.71
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Net Amount to be raised by Taxation		\$46,129.53
Less: Number 329 of Poll Taxes at \$2.00	\$ 658.00	
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		658.00
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		\$45,471.53

#### Taxes to be Committed to Collector

Property Taxes		\$45,471.53
Poll Taxes at \$2.00		658.00
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Total Taxes to be Committed		\$46,129.53
Tax Rate \$4.28		

## TREASURER'S REPORT

Hazel W. Huckins, Treasurer, in Account with the  
Town of Orford

To Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1952	\$14,321.57
To Cash as follows:	
State Treasurer	
Interest and Dividends Tax	3,755.54
Bounties	38.50
Savings Bank Tax	116.51
Railroad Tax	5.55
Refund	13.08
W. W. Lufkin, Tax Collector	
Taxes, levy 1951	9,104.15
Taxes, levy 1952	35,970.99
Interest, 1951	230.63
Timber Tax, 1951	372.39
Timber Tax, 1952	726.47
Interest on Timber tax	13.25
Head Taxes, 1951	389.50
Head Taxes, 1952	1,501.00
Tax Redemptions, 1950	408.74
1949	30.00
1951	145.33
Tax Sale, 1952	733.68
Interest on Tax Sale	38.20
Hazel W. Huckins, Town Clerk	
Auto Tax (Jan.-March) 1952	18.22
Auto Tax April-Dec. 1952	2,617.37
Dog Taxes 1952	289.40
Dog Taxes 1952, Part time licenses	6.67
Fred J. Sanborn, Dog Constable	26.00
School Rents, 1952	364.32
Indian Head Nat. Bank, notes	12,000.00
Ladies' Society, Bingo licenses	70.00
Mt. Cube Grange, Bingo license	10.00
Orford Community Council, Bingo license	10.00
Henry A. Horton, pistol permits	8.50
William McDonald, sale of Cemetery lot	50.00

Hazel Huckins, Town Clerk, filing fees	4.00
Sale of Town Property	100.00
Tax Abatements	223.29
Conn. Valley Electric, refund	8.00
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	\$83,720.85

By paid orders of the Selectmen	\$76,895.19
Bank charge	1.00
Cash on hand and in Indian Head Nat.	
Bank Dec. 31, 1952	6,824.66
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	\$83,720.85 \$83,720.85

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

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9 Permits issued for reduced rate period, 1952 Jan. 1952-March, 1952)	\$ 18.22
430 Permits issued for 1952	2,617.37
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	\$ 2,635.59

## DOG ACCOUNT — 1952

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142 Dogs licensed (Including 2 Kennel licenses, 13 dogs)	\$ 335.00
3 Part time licenses	6.67
Clerk's fee, 142 dogs @ 20¢	\$ 28.40
Tags and blanks	17.20
Paid Treasurer	296.07
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	\$ 341.67 \$ 341.67

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### Detail 1. Salaries of Town Officers

Marshall G. Hall, Selectman	\$ 152.50
Henry A. Horton, Selectman	160.00
Glenn F. Pease, Selectman	216.50
Wallace W. Lufkin, Tax Collector	692.61
Wallace W. Lufkin, Collecting Head Tax	37.52
Hazel W. Huckins, Town Treasurer	100.00
Hazel W. Huckins, Town Clerk	362.00
Elton C. Woodward, Auditor	15.00
Chester Greenly, Auditor	15.50
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	\$ 1,751.63

### Detail 2. Expense of Town Officers

Marshall G. Hall, Selectman	\$ 11.00
Henry A. Horton, Selectman	24.84
Glenn F. Pease, Selectman	19.90
Glenn F. Pease, Keeping books and copying invoice	75.00
Glenn F. Pease, Running Town line	46.00
Francis G. Pease, Running Town line	20.00
George Richardson, Running Town line	65.00
Hazel W. Huckins, Clerk	44.88
Hazel W. Huckins, Treasurer	12.28
Green Mt. Press, Town Reports	404.60
F. J. Shores, Transfers, Deeds, and searching records	30.47
Dartmouth Savings Bank, Rent Deposit Box	7.20
N. H. Assessors Association, Dues	2.00
N. H. Tax Collectors Association, Dues	3.00
Henry H. Carr, Town Officers bonds	100.60
Brown & Saltmarsh, Supplies	22.50
Edison & Eastman, Supplies	32.57
Wheeler & Clark, Supplies	1.64
Anna Proctor, Transfer names	.30
Elton Woodward, Auditor	.87
Bank Service Charge	1.00
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	\$ 929.65

### Detail 3. Town Hall Expense

Conn. Valley Electric Co., Lights	\$ 30.75
Monroe Company, Tables	221.25
Henry A. Horton, Freight on tables, repairs on on Town Hall and Library	30.96
Samuel A. Mousley, Janitor	38.00
Jeffery Bean, Wood	12.00
Phillip L. Bean, Wood	15.00
Glenn F. Pease, Drawing Wood	2.50
Hattie S. Baker, Putting wood in shed	3.00
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	\$ 353.46

### Detail 4. Election and Registration

Maurice F. Bean, Supervisor	\$ 73.50
Harvey L. Washburn, Supervisor	73.50
Arthur L. Franklin, Supervisor	58.50
Elton C. Woodward, Moderator	24.00
Hattie Davis, Ballot Clerk	24.00
Andrew Bedell, Ballot Clerk	16.00
Jeffery Bean, Ballot Clerk	16.00
Charles P. Ladd, Ballot Clerk	16.00
Dorothy Love, Ballot Clerk	8.00
Leslie J. Donnelly, Ballot Clerk	8.00
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	\$ 317.50

### Detail 5. Police Dept.

Guy S. Huntington, Police Officer	\$ 25.00
Lawrence Huntington, Police Officer	25.00
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	\$ 50.00

### Detail 6. Bounties

William Brown	\$ 11.25
Glenn F. Pease	20.25
Henry A. Horton	12.75
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	\$ 44.25

### Detail 7. Fire Dept.

American LaFrance Foamite Co., Supplies	\$ 15.60
Conn. Valley Electric Co., Power	24.50
Huntington's Garage, Storage, repairs and supplies	217.15
Harold Huntington, Fireman	14.00
Henry A. Horton, Fireman	9.00
Leslie J. Donnelly, Fireman	8.00
Lawrence Huntington, Fireman	7.00
William Schultz, Fireman	6.00
Donald Reed, Fireman	4.00
Bradley Morey, Fireman	5.00
Hazen Morey, Fireman	2.00
Henry Patch, Fireman	4.00
George Smith, Fireman	3.00
Wallace W. Lufkin, Fireman	3.00
Gould Richmond, Fireman	3.00
Sumner Huntington, Fireman	5.00
Chester Pierce, Fireman	8.00
Walter Mack, Fireman	8.00
Robert Smith, Fireman	3.00
Norman Shaw, Fireman	3.00
Herbert Lawrence, Fireman	9.00
Charles Clifford, Fireman	3.00
Lester Gray, Fireman	2.00
Donald Tyler, Fireman	5.00
Charles Clifford, Jr., Fireman	1.00
Henry Patch, Fireman	6.00
Harry Gassett, Fireman	6.00
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	\$ 384.25

### Detail 8. Insurance

R. T. Bartlett Ins. Agency, Road help	\$ 86.96
Gould Richmond, Ralph Marsh place	16.46
Gould Richmond, Town Hall and Library	105.00
H. H. Carr, Insurance	
Grader	89.85
Road truck	30.00
Liability and property damage	45.84
Fire truck	63.50
Bodily injury and property damage	50.00
Tractor	9.00
Tool house and tools	12.00
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	\$ 508.61

### Detail 9. Community Center Memorial Fund

Trustees of Trust Fund	\$ 400.00
<b>Detail 10. Refunds</b>	
Ladies Society, Beano licenses	\$ 70.00
Mt. Cube Grange, Beano licenses	10.00
Recreation Council, Beano licenses	10.00
	<hr/> \$ 90.00

### Detail 11. Town Maintenance

Bradley Morey, Summer and winter roads	\$ 5,866.30
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### Detail 12. Street Lights

Conn. Valley Electric Co.	\$ 743.10
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### Detail 13. General Expense, Highway Dept.

B. F. Dyke, Bridge plank	\$ 512.26
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### Detail 14. Cutting Bushes

See detailed statement	\$ 450.40
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### Detail 15. New Bridge

N. P. Clough, Girders	\$ 2,652.00
Henry A. Horton, Labor and supplies	24.13
Bradley Morey, see detailed statement	352.86
	<hr/> \$ 3,028.99

### Detail 16. Libraries

Hittie R. Carr, Orford Social Library	\$ 250.00
Janet M. Becton, Orford Free Library	300.00
	<hr/> \$ 550.00

### Detail 17. Town Poor

See detailed statement	\$ 1,264.23
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### Detail 18. Old Age Assistance

State of New Hampshire	\$ 1,920.89
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### Detail 19. Soldier's Aid

Soldier's Aid	\$ 14.00
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### Detail 20. Patriotic Purposes

Perry Matavia, Flags	\$ 16.67
P. C. Branard, American Legion	25.00
	<hr/> \$ 41.67

**Detail 21. Parks and Playgrounds**

Guy Huntington, Labor on mall	\$ 91.00
E. T. & H. K. Ide, Salt	9.00
Dartmouth Lake Sunapee Region	70.00
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	\$ 170.00

**Detail 22. Cemeteries**

Blakes Hardware, Lawnmower	\$ 33.45
E. T. & H. K. Ide, Grass seed	3.00
Marshall Hall, Mowing, West Cemetery	7.50
Samuel A. Mousley, Labor, West Cemetery	405.00
Henry L. Patch, Labor, West Cemetery	140.75
Glenn F. Pease, Labor, East Cemetery	30.00
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	\$ 619.70

**Detail 23. Taxes Bought by Town**

Taxes bought by Town	\$ 811.86
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**Detail 24. Abatements**

W. W. Lufkin, Levy 1951	\$ 172.21
W. W. Lufkin, Levy 1952	51.08
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	\$ 223.29

**Detail 25. Interest**

Indian Head Nat. Bank, Interest on short term notes	\$ 150.00
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**Detail 26. Town Road Aid**

State of New Hampshire	\$ 473.75
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**Detail 27. Short Term Notes**

Indian Head Nat. Bank	\$18,000.00
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**Detail 28. Town Dump**

Wallace W. Lufkin, cutting wood and brush	\$ 94.80
Roy C. Abbott, bulldozing	42.00
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	\$ 136.80

**Detail 29. Other Governmental Divisions**

Hazel W. Huckins, District Treasurer	\$32,511.71
Bertram W. Pulsifer, County Treasurer	2,676.19
State Treasurer, Head tax	1,901.70
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	\$37,089.60

## CARE OF TOWN POOR

From Jan. 1, 1952 to Dec. 31, 1952

Harry Gasset		
Board and Care	\$	82.85
Smith Children		
Board and Care	\$	169.50
Medical Care		3.50
	<hr/>	\$ 173.00
Jerry Tallman		
Board and Care	\$	846.00
Medical Care		162.38
	<hr/>	\$ 1,998.70
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		\$ 1,264.23
Soldiers Aid		14.00

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## MAINTENANCE

Bradley Morey	\$	978.00
Hazen Morey		577.50
Roy Brown		36.00
Sam Mousley		121.40
Floyd Davis		273.80
Arthur Franklin		12.00
	<hr/>	\$ 1,998.70

## Trucking

Bradley Morey	206.40
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## Supplies

Huntington Garage	141.90
Elm Corner Market	1.45
Henry Ward	162.23
Miller Automobile Co.	116.89
Collector of Internal Revenue	68.50
Murray Machinery Co.	50.43
Perry Matavia	1.90

New England Metal Culvert Co.	92.07	
Blacktop, Inc.	10.50	
Bradley Morey, paid out	5.38	
E. T. & H. K. Ide	4.50	
Jesse Currier	7.55	
Burgess Medcalf	1.00	
A. B. Weeks	28.00	
Arthur Franklin	12.00	
	<hr/>	704.30

### SNOW

Bradley Morey	\$ 855.50	
Hazen Morey	389.80	
Roy Brown	182.40	
Sam Mousley	96.20	
Bradley Baker	34.00	
Arthur Morey	18.80	
Lester Grey	34.40	
Leighen Perry	20.00	
Raymond Brown	12.00	
	<hr/>	1,643.10

### Trucking

Bradley Morey		270.00
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### Supplies

Saladino's Garage	\$ 8.40	
Huntington Garage	400.14	
Henry Ward	108.61	
Noble-Belisle, Inc.	90.67	
Irvin Motors, Inc.	287.27	
Blacktop, Inc.	15.60	
Gove & Morrill	7.50	
Bradford National Bank	6.00	
Bradley Morey, paid out	7.65	
H. W. Johnson & Sons	1.84	
Collector of Internal Revenue	43.60	
E. T. & H. K. Ide	22.50	
Miller Automobile Co.	1.20	
A. B. Weeks	7.20	
Bev Scruggs	6.04	
Gould Richmond	4.00	
Casellini-Venable Corp.	24.58	
D. C. McLam	1.00	
	<hr/>	1,043.80

### Cutting Bushes

#### Labor

Bradley Morey	\$ 112.00	
Hazen Morey	91.40	
Floyd Davis	40.20	
Ernest Marsh	100.00	
William Brown	25.00	
Sam Mousley	46.50	
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#### Trucking

Bradley Morey	14.40
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#### Supplies

Gove & Morrill	9.40
Collector of Internal Revenue	11.50

### MILLER BRIDGE

Bradley Morey	\$ 90.10	
Hazen Morey	67.80	
Roy Brown	44.00	
Huntington Garage	12.00	
Sam Mousley	7.20	
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#### Trucking

Bradley Morey	43.20
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#### Supplies

D. C. McLam	\$ 48.46	
Trumbull & Nelson Co.	19.60	
H. W. Johnson & Sons	12.80	
Burgess Medcalf	2.70	
Collector of Internal Revenue	5.00	
	<hr/>	88.56

# REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF ORFORD SOCIAL LIBRARY

Cash on hand January 1, 1952	\$ 5.54
Received from Town	250.00
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	\$ 255.54
<b>Contra</b>	
Paid for Electric Lights	\$ 16.00
Paid for Labor	22.50
Paid for Cleaning	7.00
Paid for Books and Magazines	103.53
Paid for Janitor	28.00
Paid for Librarian	52.00
Paid for Bank Charge	4.65
Cash on hand December 31, 1952	21.86
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	\$ 255.54

HITTIE R. CARR,  
ANNA B. ALLEN,  
GERTRUDE V. WARREN,  
Trustees

# REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES ORFORD FREE LIBRARY

Cash on Hand December 31, 1951	\$ 34.03
Received from Town	300.00
Interest from Wellington Fund	3.90
Cash from fines	1.14
Gift from Mrs. C. L. Stearns	2.00
Sale of book	1.00
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	\$ 342.07
<b>Disbursements</b>	
Books	\$ 118.14
Librarian and Assistant	67.50
Janitor	12.50
Magazines	24.00
Postage and Supplies	13.09
Insurance (3 years)	25.50
Extension Division State Library	3.00
Wood	1.00
Cash on Hand in Library	1.00
Cash on Hand in Bank	76.34
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	\$ 342.07

The Board of Trustees wish to thank the following persons for gifts of books during the year: Mr. E. S. Sullivan, Dr. John Hammond, Mrs. Larry Love, Mrs. Edward Warren, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Chivers. About fifty of the always popular pocket size books have also been given.

4838 books and 279 magazines were in circulation this year, 328 more adult books than last year.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY LOVE

JANET M. BECTON

RUTH SWAN

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#### AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

Orford, N. H.

Jan. 22, 1953

This is to certify that we have audited the Town Officers' books as required by State Law and find them to be correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

CHESTER G. GREENLY

ELTON C. WOODWARD

# EXCERPTS FROM PAPERS IN POSSESSION OF THE TOWN OF ORFORD

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- 1833 \$4.00 received in full for attending the Poor of Orford as physician for one year.
- 1833 "Nursing widow, four days, \$.50.
- 1821 Cost of coffin \$2.00.
- 1848. "To 1 pair spectacles for 17¢.
- 1808 Building school House District #3—\$175.50.
- 1773 Earliest paper found so far is Notice of Tax Assessment of "4 pounds proclamation money"—County Tax.
- 1848 Bill "To boarding and nursing Isreal Morey 14 weeks \$2.00 per week—\$28.00. Funeral expenses and coffin \$6.00.
- 1811. Income and town expenses for year amounted to \$1432.28.
- 1812 Methodist Church in Orford.
- 1815 Voted to secure a house suitable for keeping the poor of the Town.
- 1808 Married by the Rev. William Conant, Benning Sawyer of Orford, to Lydia Thomson, of Lyme, Dec. 25, A. D. 1808.
- 1798 Special meeting of Town called to exact a law killing all dogs of Town because of prevalence of rabies.
- 1802 Article in Warrant "to see what the Town will do with respect to the appointment of a Committee by the Court of Common Pleas for this County to lay out a highway from Dartmouth College to Haverhill through Lyme, Orford and Piermont.
- 1791 A meeting was called to vote "for a President and Senator for said state." Votes cast and counted stood as follows: President, His Excellency Josiah Bartlett, Esq., 25 votes, for Senator Moses Dow, Esq., 25 votes. New Hampshire had President and President Governors up to and including 1794.
- 1798 Freshet damaged roads and bridges in Quintown.
- 1816 Signature of William Plummer, Governor.
- 1816 List of voters in this year.
- 1849 Bill as follows:
 

To shoeing cattle	\$ .75
To sundry jobs	.66

	To handle hoe	.13	
	To shoeing horse	1.17	
	To repairing waggon	.17	
	To shoeing horse	.70	
	To wrench for stove	.42	
	To shoeing cattle	.88	
	To repair chairs and shovel	.38	
	To shoeing horse	.94	
	To shoeing horse	.55	
	To mending chairs	.54	
	To repairing cutter	.25	
	To shoeing cattle	2.00	
	To shoeing horse	.40	
	To mending chair and 2 hasps	.28	
			10.22
1847	Bill: To 1 3rd class reader	.17	
	To 1 spelling book	.08	
	To 1 young Reader	.17	
	To 1 spelling book	.08	
			\$ .50
1847	Bill—2 bushels of potatoes	.67	
	3 bushels of potatoes	1.00	
	1 bushel of wheat	1.50	
1829	Bill—to making gound (gown) and tite jacket and finding thread for \$1.00.		
1814	Daniel Webster received in town of Orford 166 votes for Representative to Congress of the United States.		
1833	July—28 subscribers asked permission to form Fire Engine Co. to be known as Orford Fire Engine Co.		
1799	Voted at Town Meeting "the Selectmen are Impowered to look out a plot of ground for a burying ground near the New Meeting House by T. Dames and make report."		
1799	Theodore Dame, Gentleman, Died 13th day of May, 1799.		
1793	An Article in Warrant for Town Meeting reads—"to see what the Town will do about paying for the guns and powder that Col. Morey purchased for the Town in the year 1776."		
1792	"This may certify that Philip Knowlton and Betsy Davis were lawfully married the first day of February, 1792. Attest John Sawyer, Capt. Sam'l Morey, Town Clerk.		
1799	"This is to certify that Benjamin Morse of Haverhill and Abigal Emery, of Orford, have been published for Marriage as the law directs for me." Eliphalet Kimball, Clerk.		

- 1828 Freshet destroyed bridges and highways.
- 1799 "Josiah Darling and Mary Quint both of Orford, have been published for Marriage."
- 1794 One of the Articles in the Town Warrant reads "to see what quantity of land the Town will agree to procure to sett the Meeting House on and for a green, etc. To see if the Town will direct the Committee to sell the erecting and finishing the Meeting House to some person or persons for the sum which shall arise from the sale of the Pews to be built in said House."
- 1807 Article in Town Warrant "to see if the Town will purchase a pew in each of the Meeting Houses in Orford for the Rev. Mr. Dana."
- 1789 Article in Town Warrant—"to see if the Town will agree upon a division line in order to make two Parishes. If so to see if they will agree to build a Meeting House and if they do to proceed and provide materials and agree upon situation."
- 1789 Article in Town Warrant reads—"to see if the Town will agree to give Samuel Morey the privilege of improving a part of the Highway for the benefit of his mill and the privilege of raising and flowing the waters where the Brook crosses the road—also the privilege of digging what Iron Ore he may discover on any of the highways in this Town."

# REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF ORFORD ON DECEMBER 31, 1952

Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund—Purpose of Trust Fund List first those trusts invested in a common trust fund	Purpose	How Invested Whether bank deposit, stock, bond, municipal obligation, etc.	Amount of Principal	Bal. of Income on hand at beginning of year	Income Year	Expended During Year	Bal. of Income on hand at End of Year
1903	Ryder-Mayo	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	9.94	2.20	2.50	9.64
1903	Hannah Raudlet	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	.70	1.01	1.00	.71
1905	Jeffers-Sargent	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	6.22	2.13	2.00	6.35
1906	Stephen B. Poor	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	.16	1.00	1.00	.16
1907	Emily J. Tallman	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	.05	1.00	1.00	.05
1908	W. S. Palmer	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	.37	1.00	1.00	.37
1911	William Stetson	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	.37	1.00	1.00	.37
1916	Walter R. Barnes	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	14.97	2.30	3.00	14.27
1916	John C. & Edwin B. Hale	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	250.00	29.21	5.61	6.50	28.32
1916	B. M. Tillotson	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	.71	1.01	1.00	.72
1917	Clara Hazelton	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	7.95	2.16	2.75	7.36
1918	S. Loomis	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	3.91	2.07	2.00	3.98
1920	Jesse Carr	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	4.83	2.09	2.00	4.92
1920	Joshua K. Avery	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	2.69	1.05	1.00	2.74
1922	John O. Carr	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	200.00	18.53	4.38	5.00	17.91
1922	Horace H. Conant	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	6.67	2.13	2.00	6.80
1922	Robert Bradford Sargent	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	4.24	2.09	2.00	4.33
1922	Thomas Ames	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	1.98	1.03	1.00	2.01
1923	David R. Lang	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	9.98	2.20	2.00	10.18
1925	Jedediah Stickney	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	.78	1.01	1.00	.79
1926	Josephine Hall	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	.44	1.00	1.00	.44
1928	Samuel Quint	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	7.01	2.15	2.00	7.16
1928	Elijah Palmer	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	6.66	2.13	2.00	6.79

# REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS (Continued)

	Name of Fund	Purpose	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	100.00	3.82	2.07	2.00	3.89
1928	Daniel Lamphrey	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	100.00	6.49	2.13	2.00	6.62
1929	Royal W. Simons	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	100.00	3.66	2.07	2.00	3.73
1930	Ashel D. Chamberlain	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	100.00	5.20	2.11	2.00	5.31
1930	John Baldwin	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	50.00	.21	1.00	1.00	.21
1930	Isaac Baldwin	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	50.00	.36	1.00	1.00	.36
1930	George F. Trussell	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	100.00	4.28	2.09	2.50	3.87
1930	Benjamin F. Trussell	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	100.00	1.44	2.03	2.00	1.47
1930	Isaac Willard	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	100.00	4.95	2.09	2.00	5.04
1932	John B. Sargent	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	100.00	2.61	2.05	2.00	2.66
1932	John W. Crowe	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	50.00	.70	1.01	1.00	.71
1933	Charles H. Archer	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	100.00	3.47	2.07	2.00	3.54
1933	Paul Lang	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	4,695.00	833.77	111.12	209.00	735.89
1934	Ida A. Smith	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	50.00	1.02	1.02	1.00	1.04
1937	Mary N. Crowell	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	100.00	4.81	2.09	2.00	4.90
1937	Benjamin Morrill	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	400.00	.29	8.04	8.00	.33
1937	Thomas Mason	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	200.00	.96	2.01	2.00	.97
1938	John H. Phelps	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	50.00	1.58	1.03	1.00	1.61
1938	Capt. Joseph W. Hancock	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	100.00	.94	2.01	2.00	.95
1938	Robert O. Carr	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	150.00	7.25	3.15	3.00	7.40
1938	Pebbles & Blodgett	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	50.00	.82	1.01	1.00	.83
1938	William F. Pebbles	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	120.00	5.54	2.51	2.50	5.55
1938	Amy Estelle Converse	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	50.00	1.31	1.02	1.00	1.33
1939	Richard Keyes	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	200.00	14.26	4.30	4.00	14.56
1939	Samuel I. & Julia G. Cutting	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	200.00	3.57	4.08	4.00	3.65
1940	Royal, Frank & Fenner L. Beal	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	150.00	2.94	3.06	2.00	4.00
1940	Fred A. Dennis	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank	200.00	10.20	4.22	4.00	10.42
1941	Lyman A. Hawkins	Perpetual care	Woodville	G.	S.	Bank					

# REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS (Continued)

	Name of Fund	Purpose	Woodsville	G. S. Bank	1.62	2.03	2.00	1.65
1941	Samuel S. Pease	Perpetual care	Woodsville	G. S. Bank	100.00	2.00	2.00	1.65
1941	Chase M. Pease	Perpetual care	Woodsville	G. S. Bank	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.35
1941	Samuel E. Greenley	Perpetual care	Woodsville	G. S. Bank	200.00	4.20	4.00	9.36
1941	Miles-Webster	Perpetual care	Woodsville	G. S. Bank	100.00	.09	2.00	.10
1942	Clarence K. Wright	Perpetual care	Woodsville	G. S. Bank	250.00	7.38	5.16	8.04
1943	Pierce-Warren	Perpetual care	Woodsville	G. S. Bank	200.00	6.10	4.44	6.24
1943	Howard-Dimock-Pierce	Perpetual care	Woodsville	G. S. Bank	250.00	8.29	5.18	8.97
1943	Josiah H. Archer	Perpetual care	Woodsville	G. S. Bank	100.00	.56	2.01	.57
1943	Byron N. Woodward	Perpetual care	Woodsville	G. S. Bank	100.00	.08	2.00	.09
1943	Joseph G. Archer	Perpetual care	Woodsville	G. S. Bank	100.00	.55	2.01	.56
1944	Alvah M. Stevens	Perpetual care	Woodsville	G. S. Bank	100.00	.07	2.01	.08
1945	Frank S. Williams	Perpetual care	Woodsville	G. S. Bank	100.00	1.51	2.03	1.54
1945	Clarence H. Carr	Perpetual care	Woodsville	G. S. Bank	100.00	.72	2.01	.73
1945	Lewis W. Coburn	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings Bank	150.00	4.87	3.00	5.93
1945	Dana E. Stevens	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings Bank	100.00	3.37	2.71	4.08
1946	Willis B. Ingerson	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings Bank	100.00	1.55	2.66	2.21
1947	Harry P. Wilcox	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings Bank	100.00	1.37	2.66	2.03
1947	David Wilcox	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings Bank	100.00	1.37	2.66	2.03
1947	William Wilcox	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings Bank	100.00	4.56	2.74	5.30
1947	Chester A. Bass	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings Bank	100.00	3.82	2.72	4.54
1947	Harriman-Pomeroy	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings Bank	100.00	10.41	5.54	12.45
1947	Fred & Mabel Mack	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings Bank	200.00	49.98	26.31	69.29
1948	Orford West Cemetery	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings Bank	946.25	6.80	5.44	10.24
1948	Nathaniel & George Russell	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings Bank	200.00	1.70	2.66	2.36
1948	Abram & Georgia Washburn	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings Bank	100.00	4.09	4.06	6.15
1948	George & Gertrude Clark	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings Bank	150.00	2.06	2.68	2.74
1948	Bernice H. Washburn	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings Bank	100.00			

# REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS (Continued)

	Name of Fund	Purpose	Dartmouth	Savings	Bank	150.00	4.09	4.06	2.50	5.65
1948	William E. Chapman	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings	Bank	150.00	58.77	26.83	2.50	85.60
1949	Orford School District	Schools	Dartmouth	Savings	Bank	957.29	5.10	5.40	2.50	8.00
1949	Orpha E. Johnson	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings	Bank	200.00	.81	2.65	2.00	1.46
1949	Frank W. Hatch	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings	Bank	100.00	2.99	2.70	2.00	3.69
1949	Elijah N. & Isabella W. Merrill	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings	Bank	100.00	2.35	2.68	1.50	3.53
1950	Elizabeth Sanborn Pressey	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings	Bank	100.00	4.79	5.39	2.50	7.68
1950	Charles Riley	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings	Bank	200.00	2.51	2.68		5.19
1950	Horace Palmer	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings	Bank	100.00	1.87	3.98		5.85
1950	Herbert E. & Jennie C. Woodward	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings	Bank	150.00		2.63		2.63
1951	Eugene P. Cross	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings	Bank	100.00		1.37	1.00	.37
1951	Henry H. Pease	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings	Bank	100.00				
1952	Harry H. Hutchins	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings	Bank	200.00				
1952	George Washburn	Perpetual care	Dartmouth	Savings	Bank	150.00				
			16,768.54	1,284.35	382.92	398.75	1,268.52			

## SCHOOL DISTRICT WARRANT

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### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Grafton, S. S.

School District of Orford

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To the Inhabitants of the School District of Orford qualified to vote in District Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said District, on Tuesday, the 10th day of March, 1953, at nine o'clock, in the morning, to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

Article 2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

Article 3. To choose a member of the School Board for three years, and to fill any vacancies which may occur on the School Board.

Article 4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

Article 5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board, and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.

Article 6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 7. To choose Agents, Auditors, and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

Article 8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income: the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

Article 9. To transact any other business which may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at said Orford this 6th day of February, 1953.

FREDERICK I. BECTON  
REBECCA M. GREEN  
EMILY A. HALL

School Board

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

FREDERICK I. BECTON  
REBECCA M. GREEN  
EMILY A. HALL

School Board

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the School Board and Citizens of Orford:

I hereby submit my fifth annual report as your Superintendent of Schools.

The schools of the nation are in a state of turmoil but fortunately the schools of Orford are not subjected to many of these causes of turmoil. There has been a slight increase in the total number of pupils attending school but as yet this has not caused us any serious difficulty. Our buildings are anything but modern yet we have fixed them up so that they serve our present purposes quite well. We have minor complaints about the school, which is a healthy sign, indicating that parents are interested and watching, but we do not have any organized groups which make vicious attacks upon our schools. Yes, I think I can truly say that in many ways we are very fortunate.

### Teachers and Teaching

Our experienced capable faculty in the elementary school is the same group that has now been with us for many years. With the very serious shortage that exists in qualified elementary teachers, this is really a blessing.

Two members of our high school faculty have remained constant through the past several years. These same two people were here when Plymouth Teachers College operated the high school with cadet teachers. The other three members of the high school faculty have changed every year. This is neither good for the pupils or the teachers themselves. I hope that every possible effort will be made by the townspeople to encourage our present staff to become a real part of the town so that they will want to remain with us for some years to come.

There is little that we can do with our high school program in the nature of revision. At present we are teaching courses in College Preparation, Agriculture, Home Economics and Commerce. It is nearly as extensive a program as would be offered in a large high school and it can only be accomplished by alternating many subjects and giving each teacher practically a full day's program. This means that each teacher has more than a normal load and rather complicates the problem of making out a good schedule. About the only way we can make any changes

would be to stop teaching one of our present courses or hire an additional teacher.

We are offering a good standard elementary program which we try to improve upon a little each year. We have under consideration some possible changes in the social studies program which may tend to bring us somewhat into line with the new program recently suggested by the state board of education. As has been true in the past we are continuing to emphasize the work in reading.

When Mrs. Horton left us we thought we might have to go without a teacher of music and art until it was learned that Mrs. H. R. MacGinnis had had training in this field and might be interested. Shortly after school started she began her work in these two fields, receiving the assistance of her husband in the teaching of art to the upper grades. This has proven to be a satisfactory solution and we are pleased that these two important areas are being considered in our schools.

A good program of extra-curricular activities is being carried on in our schools, several of the activities extending well down into the grades. Besides athletics the school puts on plays, socials, dances, produces a school newspaper and year-book, and has a large number of clubs pertaining to specialized interests of the boys and girls. In the field of athletics we have soccer, softball, skiing, basketball and baseball. Mr. Fulton and his assistants should be highly commended for the outstanding work they are doing in training so many pupils in skiing. This is a natural and worthwhile activity for the Orford Area. The only real lack we have in sports is an adequate place in which to play basketball. The school appreciates the opportunity to use Bedell Hall but this is too small and has no shower facilities. There has been some agitation in town to build a gymnasium (which could serve as an assembly room, recreation area, for dramatics and many other purposes) to be built adjacent to the present high school building. Although the expense of such a building would be large for a town like Orford it might well be accomplished as a community enterprise.

The Veterans on-the-farm training program which has been conducted evenings by Mr. Guptill for many years is drawing to a close because of the lack of available veterans. Unless veterans of the Korean war desire a similar program we anticipate that next year will be the last year of operation.

## Repairs and Buildings

We have continued with our planned repair program doing a little bit each year. As a result most of the rooms and hallways have been painted with bright and interesting colors. Likewise most of the floors have been sealed and waxed. Both teachers and pupils appreciate the improved environment in which to conduct their learning activities.

For some years we have had brief interruptions in the water supply at the Orfordville School but this year it developed into a serious problem. The well for water simply will not produce enough water to take care of the building and for many months we have had to truck water into the building. A complete investigation has been made of the situation and the only solutions seem to lie in sinking another well or drilling the present well to a greater depth. This should be done this next summer. This item costing \$1,500 is what causes the 1953-54 budget to exceed the current budget.

Word has been received from the water pollution board that sometime in the future we would have to stop running the school sewerage into the stream across the road from the Orfordville school. Complete details on this problem are not available but it probably means that we would have to build our own septic tank. This does not have to be done this year.

The Commissioner of Education with the help of school boards and superintendents has been drawing up a revised plan for the supervisory unions of the state. Several such plans have been considered which would involve a reduction in size of some unions and an increase in the size of some others. These larger unions would then have an additional assistant superintendent of schools. A bill asking for these changes will be placed in the legislature but I do not think it will pass because it calls for the expenditure of an additional \$30,000.00. However it would help my work because it would drop Enfield from this Supervisory Union thereby reducing the area and number of teachers I have to supervise. At present I have more teachers in this union than any other supervisory union in this state, except the large cities.

A bill will also be placed in the legislature asking that state aid to education be doubled. The governor is recommending that state aid be increased by 50%. Certainly we need more state aid to help towns like Orford bear some of the burden of public education. However, if past experience is any criterion

we should not count too heavily on any larger increase in our assistance from the state.

Both the school board and I wish to take this opportunity to thank Dr. Hammond for his splendid gift of so many books for our school library. We have needed such books for many years and I am certain that very good use will be made of them.

It has been a pleasure, as always, to work with the excellent Parent Teachers Association at Orford. The large numbers which turn out for the meetings, the interest they show in the schools, and their willingness to work for the benefit of boys and girls speaks well for the future of public education in Orford.

As I bring this report to a close I want to thank all those, school board members, teachers, janitors, and others who have worked so hard to assist me in producing good schools for Orford.

Repectfully submitted,

HOWARD F. MASON,  
Superintendent of Schools.

#### Enrollment in the Orford Schools, January, 1953

		Per room	Per group	Total
I	11			
II	15	26		
III	12			
IV	15	27	53	
V	18			
VI	16	34		
VII	11			
VIII	15	26	60	
IX	22			
X	21			
XI	16			
XII	12		71	184.

#### Enrollment By Years as of January

	High	Elementary	Total
1953	71	113	184
1952	67	117	184
1951	58	115	173
1950	64	129	193
1949	56	116	172
1948	55	103	158

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE ORFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT, ORFORD, N. H., 1952

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The School Board of the School District of Orford herewith submits its annual report, together with the report of the Superintendent of Schools.

### School District Organization

Moderator	Elton C. Woodward
School District Clerk	Hazel W. Huckins
School District Treasurer	Hazel W. Huckins
Auditors	Ruth M. Swan
	Menta W. Sawyer
Truant Officer	Fred J. Sanborn
	Frederick I. Becton, Chairman
School Board	Rebecca M. Green, Secretary
	Emily A. Hall

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### FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE ORFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT

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For the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1951 and Ending  
June 30, 1952

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### Certificate

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 82 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire 1942, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

HOWARD F. MASON,  
Superintendent

FREDERICK I. BECTON,  
REBECCA M. GREEN,  
School Board

## Receipts

Federal Aid		
Federal aid for Home Economics and Agrl.	\$ 1,508.72	
Nat. School Lunch	937.42	
Veterans Training	3,407.04	
	<hr/>	\$ 5,853.18
State Aid		
Equalization	\$ 2,228.91	
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Local Taxation		
Current Appropriation	\$27,081.28	
Bal. of Previous Approp.	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$28,081.28
Other Sources		
Secondary school tuitions	\$ 7,491.76	
Other	143.22	
	<hr/>	\$ 7,634.98
Total Receipts from all Sources		<hr/> \$43,798.35
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, '51		1,562.73
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Grand Total		\$45,361.08

## Payments

Administration	
Salaries of District Officers	\$ 408.00
Supt. Salary (local share)	402.72
Tax for State wide Supervision	338.00
Salaries of Other Administrative Per.	209.21
Supplies and expenses	471.32
Instruction	
Teachers' Salaries	21,018.34
Principals' Salaries	3,849.00
Books and Other Instructional Aids	514.19
Scholars' Supplies	811.84
Supplies and Other Expenses	415.97
Operation of School Plant	
Salaries of Janitors	1,594.48
Fuel or Heat	1,634.88
Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses	814.77
Maintenance of School Plant	
Repairs and Replacements	1,016.32

Auxiliary Activities	
Health Supervision	369.67
Transportation	3,463.00
Special Activities and Special Funds	1,833.51
Fixed Charges	
Retirement	1,536.36
Ins., Treas. Bonds and Expenses	419.99
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Total Current Expenses	\$41,121.57
Capital Outlay	
New Equipment	946.04
Adult Education	
Veteran's Training Program	3,079.04
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Total Payments for all Purposes	\$45,146.65
Cash on hand at end of year, June 30, 1952	214.43
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Grand Total	\$45,361.08

## BALANCE SHEET

June 30, 1952

### Assets

Cash on hand, June 30, 1952	\$ 214.43
Accounts due to district from town	1,500.00
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Total Assets	\$ 1,714.43

### Liabilities

Accounts owed by district	
Gledhill Bros.	\$ 24.06
Milton Bradley	73.13
Mainco	28.42
J. L. Hammett	73.90
R. C. Abbott	10.00
H. C. Carr	10.00
White River Paper Company	15.60
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Total Liabilities	\$ 235.11
Surplus (Excess of Assets over Liabilities)	1,479.32
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Grand Total	\$ 1,714.43

## SCHOOL LUNCH

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### Receipts

District General Fund	\$ 600.00
Other Receipts	3,729.12
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Total Receipts	\$ 4,329.12
Cash on hand July 1, 1951	86.91
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Grand Total	\$ 4,416.03

### Payments

High School	\$ 2,481.16
Elementary	1,604.73
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Total Payments	\$ 4,085.89
Cash on Hand June 30, 1952	330.14
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Grand Total	\$ 4,416.03

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## BALANCE SHEET

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### Assets

Cash on Hand June 30, 1952	\$ 330.14
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Total Assets	\$ 330.14

### Liabilities

Excess Assets over Liabilities	\$ 330.14
Grand Total	\$ 330.14

## ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

For Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1952

Cash on hand June 30 1951		\$ 1,562.73
Received from Selectmen		
Current appropriation	\$27,081.28	
Bal. of previous approp.	1,000.00	
Received from State Treas.	4,675.05	
U. S. Treasury (Veteran's Aid)	3,407.04	
Received from all other sources	7,634.98	
		<hr/> \$43,798.35
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		\$45,361.08
Less School Board orders paid and service charges		45,146.65
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Balance on hand as of June 30, 1952		\$ 214.43
	HAZEL W. HUCKINS,	
	District Treasurer	
July 12, 1952		

### AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Orford, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1952 and find them correct in all respects.

RUTH M. SWAN,  
MENTA W. SAWYER,

Auditors

July 15, 1952

### TEACHERS AS OF JANUARY 1, 1953

	Enrollment
Elmer B. Fulton, Principal	71
Theresa Blanchette, Commercial	
Winifred B. Edoff, Home Economics	
Leroy A. Guptill, Vo. Agriculture	
Fredrick C. Richardson, Science and Math.	
Clara B. Berry, Grades 7 and 8	26
Hazel Donnelly, Grades 5 and 6	34
Ramona Flanagan, Grades 1 and 2	26
Ethel Millen, Grades 3 and 4	27
Jane MacGinnis, Art & Music	
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## ORFORD SCHOOL CALENDAR

1953-54

Schools open Wednesday, September 9  
Teachers Convention, Thursday and Friday, October 15 and 16  
Thanksgiving Vacation—Schools close Wednesday, November 25 at 12:15  
Schools reopen Monday, November 30  
Christmas Vacation—Schools close Friday, December 18  
Schools reopen Monday, January 4  
Winter Vacation—Schools close Friday, February 19  
Schools reopen Monday, March 1  
Spring Vacation—Schools close Friday, April 16  
Schools reopen Monday, April 26  
Memorial Day, Monday, May 31  
Schools close Friday, June 18  
Total of 180 school days

This includes the following as holidays:

Labor Day, September 7, 1953  
Thanksgiving, Thursday, November 26, 1953  
Christmas December 25, 1953  
New Years, January 1, 1954  
Washington's Birthday, February 22, 1954  
Memorial Day, (Observed Monday, May 31, 1954)

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

1951-1952

1951		
July	Town of Orford, Balance	\$ 1,562.73
August		
	Clara Berry, Blue Cross	5.60
	State of New Hampshire, School Lunch	5.66
	State of New Hampshire, School Lunch	8.04
	State of New Hampshire, School Lunch	22.83
	State of New Hampshire, School Lunch	15.67
	U. S. Treasury, Veterans' program	22.76
	U. S. Treasury, Veterans' program	295.88
September		
	U. S. Treasury, Veterans' program	319.14
	Town of Orford, Appropriation	4,000.00

## October

State of New Hampshire, School Lunch	7.55
State of New Hampshire, School Lunch	10.70
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' program	270.18
Town of Orford, Appropriation	2,000.00
State of New Hampshire, Equalization	2,228.91

## November

Town of Orford, Appropriation	3,000.00
Town of Wentworth, Tuition	625.00
Town of Lyme, Tuition	2,661.14
Town of Warren, Tuition	250.00
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Program	427.28
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Program	296.32

## December

Barbara Reed, Tuition	125.00
Valley Forge Flag Company, Refund	4.50
State of New Hampshire, School Lunch	81.30
Town of Orford, Appropriation	4,000.00

## 1952

### January

U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Program	273.12
Elmer B. Fulton, Telephone	3.13
State of New Hampshire, School Lunch	53.52
Town of Orford, Appropriation	5,581.28
Town of Orford, School Rents	85.66
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Program	.73
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Program	255.86
State of New Hampshire, School Lunch	59.64

### February

State of New Hampshire, School Lunch	43.32
Elmer B. Fulton, Telephone	1.00
D. Huntington, Rent—School Room	4.00
C. Pomroy, Rent—Piano	20.00
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Program	227.10
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Program	18.35
State of New Hampshire, School Lunch	65.82
State of New Hampshire, School Lunch	98.04

### March

State of New Hampshire, School Lunch	50.46
State of New Hampshire, School Lunch	69.96
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Program	250.08
Wentworth School District, Tuition	688.94

Warren School District, Tuition	250.00
Lyne School District, Tuition	2,766.68
Town of Orford, Appropriation	3,000.00
April	
State of New Hampshire, School Lunch	145.35
State of New Hampshire, School Lunch	89.64
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Program	250.08
Barbara Reed, Tuition	125.00
May	
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Program	250.08
State of New Hampshire, School Lunch	66.18
Town of Orford, Appropriation	4,000.00
State of New Hampshire, School Lunch	43.74
June	
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Program	250.08
Town of Orford, Appropriation	2,500.00
Elmer B. Fulton, Telephone	.70
McGraw Hill Book Company, Refund, check 8561 void	18.63
State of New Hampshire, Vocational	1,508.72
Total Receipts	<u>\$45,361.08</u>

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

1951-1952

### Administration

#### Detail 1. Salaries of District Officers

Frederick I. Becton	\$ 75.00
Rebecca M. Green	75.00
Dorothy E. Greer	150.00
Hazel W. Huckins, Treasurer	100.00
Harland C. Skinner, Auditor	4.00
Elton C. Woodward, Auditor	4.00
	<u>\$ 408.00</u>

Detail 2. Superintendent's Salary (Local Share)  
 Mrs. Fred P. Carr \$ 402.72

Detail 3. Tax for Statewide Supervision  
 State of N. H. \$ 338.00

Detail 4. Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel  
 Dorothy E. Greer, Census \$ 30.00  
 Fred J. Sanborn 20.00  
 Superintendent's Secretary 159.21  


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 \$ 209.21

Detail 5. Supplies and Expenses  
 New England Tel. and Tel. \$ 203.45  
 Howard F. Mason 39.14  
 Edgar Lord 2.10  
 Bank Service Charge 2.00  
 Hanover School District 74.64  
 School Supply Co. 1.61  
 Dartmouth Printing Co. 20.75  
 Mrs. Fred P. Carr 100.00  
 Dorothy Greer 3.33  
 Edward E. Babb Co. 4.83  
 A. H. Rice Co. 3.20  
 Edson Eastman 3.35  
 Frederick Becton 7.92  
 Paul E. Farnham 5.00  


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 \$ 471.32

# Instruction

Detail 6. Teachers' Salaries  
 Clara Berry \$ 1,824.04  
 Raymond Bissonette 1,857.57  
 Hazel Donnelly 1,681.15  
 Ramona Flanagan 1,784.74  
 Elmer Fulton 3,157.40  
 Joan Greeley 1,908.00  
 Dorothy Greer 72.00  
 Leroy Gupstill 3,022.74  
 Rena Horton 796.00  
 Winifred Merriman 14.00  
 Ethel Millen 1,924.57  
 Richard Moulton 96.00

David Nelson	35.00
Clara Perkins	119.00
Phyllis Tanen	1,885.40
Collector of Internal Revenue	2,858.50
N. H. Teachers Retirement System	1,607.43
N. H.-Vt. Hospitalization Service	223.80
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	\$24,867.34

#### Detail 7. Books and Instructional Aids

Edward E. Babb	\$ 2.57
Scott Foresman Co.	1.02
McGraw Hill Book Co.	18.00
Southwestern Publishing Co.	35.94
Allyn Bacon Inc.	8.52
Benjamin H. Sanborn	31.55
Beckley Cardy Co.	2.78
The Gregg Publishing Co.	7.72
Houghton Mifflin Co.	34.49
Ginn and Co.	208.85
Wilcox Follett Co.	47.86
D. C. Heath Co.	2.77
Row, Peterson Co.	29.61
W. M. Welch Co.	2.00
Hall and McCreary Co.	34.99
Extension Service Library	2.25
Charles Scribner Sons	5.60
Carl Fisher, Inc.	3.87
Iroquois Publishing Co.	3.73
Silver Burdett Co.	29.07
University of N. H. Film	41.00
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	\$ 514.19

#### Detail 8. Scholars' Supplies

Elm Corner Market	\$ 23.27
Gledhill Brothers	57.16
Edward E. Babb	177.83
Row, Peterson Co.	32.70
White River Paper Co.	68.23
Scott Foresman Co.	8.38
MacMillan Co.	26.98
D. C. Heath Co.	80.56

Webster Publishing Co.	20.74
Houghton Mifflin Co.	.46
Mainco Trading Co.	23.56
J. L. Hammett Co.	16.53
Henry S. Wolkins Co.	112.38
H. S. Kinsman, Inc.	20.54
Phillips Paper Co.	3.04
The Gerrard Press	.60
American Book Co.	6.73
Henry Holt Co.	9.13
W. M. Welch Co.	50.20
Boston Music Co.	6.13
Rena Horton	7.75
Automatic Pencil Sharpener Co.	1.70
Kee Fox Mfg. Co.	5.05
Blake's Hardware	21.89
Ginn and Co.	20.29
The Zaner-Bloser Co.	10.01

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\$ 811.84

**Detail 9. Salaries of Clerical Assistants**

None

**Detail 10. Supplies and Other Expenses**

Iroquois Publishing Co.	\$ 4.90
Encyclopedia Britannica	2.95
Rand McNally Co.	13.59
University of N. H.	9.10
Dictaphone Corp.	3.48
Gregg Awards Dept.	1.50
R. S. Sawyer Co.	8.75
Valley Forge Flag Co.	18.32
California Test Bureau	3.16
World Book Co.	1.64
Denoyer Geppert Co.	12.29
The MacMillen Co.	3.32
Hathorns, Inc.	25.60
Films Inc.	12.40
Vocational Guidance Manuals	5.52
J. L. Hammett Co.	16.26
Leroy Guptill	232.13
Joan L. Greeley	25.56
Roger E. Burt	15.50

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\$ 415.97

## Operation of School Plant

### Detail 11. Salaries of Janitors

Guy Huntington	\$ 1,594.48
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### Detail 12. Fuel or Heat

H. W. Johnson & Sons	\$ 1,554.19
Fairlee Oil Service	8.69
Suburban Natural Gas	72.00
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	\$ 1,634.88

### Detail 13. Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses

E. L. Sanborn	\$ 4.25
Blake's Hardware	31.11
Woodsville Furniture	3.95
Reggie Davis	1.75
H. W. Johnson & Sons	39.19
Boston Janitors Supply Co.	10.18
Connecticut Valley Electric	329.85
Clover Farm Stores	2.16
White River Paper Co.	224.02
The C. B. Dodge Co.	14.47
Huntington's Garage	1.20
W. H. Slight Co.	128.51
Beverly Scruggs	1.00
Charles Clifford	13.52
Perry Mativia	3.54
J. F. Kerns Co.	6.07
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	\$ 814.77

## Maintenance of School Plant

### Detail 14. Repairs and Replacements

Lehman H. Celley	\$ 350.00
Northern Office Supply	110.00
Reggie Davis	61.03
B. Dyke	2.64

Perly Colby	115.77
O. K. Chapin	3.95
H. W. Johnson & Sons	23.75
Henry Horton	104.34
Hanover Hardware	15.00
Suburban Natural Gas	2.00
Frederick H. Johnson	17.00
Alvin Weeks	3.50
Perry Mativia	.64
Ward & Baird, Inc.	206.70
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	\$ 1,016.32

### Auxiliary Agencies

#### Detail 15. Health Supervision

Anna Lovett	\$ 323.40
N. H. Retirement System	26.60
Lyme Medical Association	5.00
R. S. Sawyer Co.	14.67
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	\$ 369.67

#### Detail 16. Transportation

Chester Pierce	\$ 3,463.00
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#### Detail 17. Tuition

None

#### Detail 18. Special Activities and Special Funds

##### Athletic Funds

Dartmouth Co-operative Society	\$ 8.80
Elmer Fulton	200.00
James Campion, Inc.	7.95
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	\$ 216.75

##### Miscellaneous

Blake's Hardware	\$ 12.09
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### Hot Lunches

Home Economics	\$ 1.52
Phillip Bean	20.00
Frederick I. Becton	10.00
Elmer Fulton	862.04
Leroy Gupstill	25.00
Ethel Millen	675.38
E. L. Sanborn	10.73
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	\$ 1,604.67

### Fixed Charges

#### Detail 19. Retirement

N. H. Retirement System	\$ 1,536.36
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#### Detail 20. Insurance, Bonds and Expenses

Henry H. Carr (Treasurer's Bond)	\$ 10.70
Henry H. Carr (Insurance)	409.29
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	\$ 419.99

#### Detail 23. New Equipment

Lewis Brothers	\$ 59.50
Edward E. Babb	63.75
W. M. Welch Co.	60.00
The Chemical Rubber Co.	19.20
Singer Sewing Machine	97.63
Gledhill Brothers	4.25
Gove and Bancroft	14.30
Cambosco Scientific Co.	60.76
Cascade Paper Co.	561.75
Hanover Hardware Co.	4.90
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	\$ 946.04

# Detail 27. Veterans Program

Guy Huntington	\$ 200.04
Leroy Guptill	2,155.49
Collector of Internal Revenue	397.20
Hathorn's, Inc.	24.46
White River Paper Co.	22.11
Blake's Hardware	78.72
Farm Bureau	9.45
J. B. Lippencott	5.28
John Willey & Sons	80.90
H. W. Johnson and Sons	39.52
Morrison Publishing Co.	37.80
Richard M. Prescott	12.57
University of N. H.	15.50
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	\$ 3,079.04
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Total Payments	\$45,146.65

Plymouth, N. H.  
December 31, 1952

Mrs. William Greene, R. N.  
Orfordville, N. H.

Dear Mrs. Greene:

The following is a summary of the activities carried on in your town by the N. H. Department of Health for the year 1952.

A Child Health Conference was held at the Town Hall, Orfordville on March 26, 1952 where 14 babies and preschool age children received a physical examination by a local physician.

A series of three immunization clinics were held on the following dates: March 26, April 16, and May 7, 1952.

Attendance at these clinics were—Total 58

Infants under 1 year—7

Preschool children—24

School age children—27

Immunizations given were as follows: # children

Smallpox Vaccinations—14

Triple Toxoid Booster—17 (Diphtheria, Tetanus & Whooping cough)

3 Triple Toxoid Treatments—8

2 Double Toxoid Treatments—3 (Diphtheria and Tetanus)

The nurse was assisted at these clinics by a Local Committee of Ladies with Mrs. William Green acting as local Chairman, also the Local School nurse assisting.

I wish to take this opportunity to extend thanks for all who helped make the clinics a success.

Home calls were also made in the town to mothers, new babies, preschool children, and arrangements for children to attend the orthopedic and heart clinics at Hanover.

Respectfully submitted,

LOIS W. BARTON, R. N.

Public Health Nurse, N. H. Dept. of Health

# ORFORD BUDGET

	Spent 1951-52	Budget 1952-53	Proposed Budget 1953-54
	\$	\$	\$
1. Salaries of District Officers	408.00	395.00	319.00
2. Superintendent's Salary (local share)	402.72	446.98	488.66
3. Tax for Statewide Supervision	338.00	312.00	326.00
4. Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel	209.21	216.45	461.00
5. Supplies and Expenses	471.32	390.00	475.00
6. Principals' and Teachers' Salaries	24,867.34	26,535.00	27,960.00
7. Books and Other Instructional Aids	514.19	650.00	650.00
8. Scholars' Supplies	811.84	750.00	750.00
10. Supplies and Other Expenses	415.97	465.00	465.00
11. Salaries of Janitors	1,594.48	1,600.00	1,600.00
12. Fuel or Heat	1,634.88	1,595.00	1,717.50
13. Water, Lights, Supplies and Expenses	814.77	725.00	725.00
14. Repairs and Replacements	1,016.32	990.00	880.00
15. Health Supervision	369.67	525.00	575.00
16. Transportation	3,463.00	3,438.00	3,488.00
18. Special Activities and Special Funds	1,833.51	2,150.00	2,000.00
19. Retirement	1,536.36	1,621.96	1,697.68
20. Insurance, Treasurer's Bond and Expenses	419.99	365.00	371.00
22. Additions and Improvements to Property	946.04	400.00	1,500.00
23. New Equipment	3,079.04	2,800.00	800.00
27. Veterans' Program			2,600.00
TOTALS	\$45,146.65	\$46,370.39	\$49,848.84

	Actual Receipts	Estimated Receipts	Estimated Receipts
	1951-52	1952-53	1953-54
Balance	\$ 1,562.73	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,500.00
Veterans' Program (in and out)	3,407.04	2,800.00	2,600.00
Federal Hot Lunch (in and out)	937.42	1,150.00	1,000.00
Federal Teachers' Reimbursement	1,508.72	1,600.00	1,500.00
State Aid	2,228.91	2,100.00	2,900.00
Tuition	7,491.76	6,480.00	8,835.00
Other	143.22	100.00	100.00
TOTALS	\$17,279.80	\$15,230.00	\$18,435.00
Estimated Expenditures	44,713.42	46,370.39	49,848.84
Estimated Receipts	17,279.80	15,230.00	18,435.00
To be Raised by Taxation	\$28,581.28	\$31,140.39	\$31,413.84

# MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ORFORD FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1952

Date	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Bride and Groom	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age Occupation of Bride and Groom	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	No. of Marriages	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by whom Married
Feb.	Orford, N. H.	Frank Robert Lynes	Orford, N. H.	20 Farmer	Hanover, N. H.	Harold F. Lynes	Hardwick, Vt.	1	Rev. Frederick R. Dixon Clergyman Piermont, N. H.
		Christine E. Nystrom	Orford, N. H.	20 At Home	Waltham, Mass.	Vena Belle Dow	Littleton, N. H.	1	
Feb.	Orford, N. H.	Albert E. Nystrom	Orford, N. H.	30 R. R. Worker	Cambridge, Mass.	Lillian E. Nystrom	Boston, Mass.	1	Rev. Frederick R. Dixon Clergyman Piermont, N. H.
		Helen F. Terrill	White River Jct., Vt.	31 Laundry Worker	Norwich, Vt.	Lillian E. Swanson	Sweden	2	
Jan.	5 N. Haverhill, N. H.	Claude W. Winchester	Orford, N. H.	21 Logging	Maine	William J. Crowley	Boston, Mass.	1	Rev. H. B. Simms Minister Haverhill, N. H.
		Elsina M. Leach	Haverhill, N. H.	19	Vermont	Claire B. Hill	Wilder, Vt.	1	
April	14 Warren, N. H.	William R. Fillian	Orford, N. H.	21 U. S. Army	Wentworth, N. H.	Helen Burrows	Saco, Me.	1	Rev. David A. Nelson Minister Warren, N. H.
		Edna Mae	Orford, N. H.	19 At Home	Hanover, N. H.	Lloyd E. Leach	Saco, Me.	1	
*May	10 Orford, N. H.	Albert Borne	Barre, Vt.	23 Stock Man	Belfast, Ireland	Bessie L. Shute	New Hampshire	1	Justice of the Peace Gould S. Richmond Orford, N. H.
		Aurora C. Aja	Barre, Vt.	30 Inspector	Webster, Vt.	Alphonse J. Fillian	Piermont, N. H.	1	
June	23 Piermont, N. H.	Roy H. Brown	Orford, N. H.	58 Laborer	Concord, Vt.	Jessie Woods	Whitefield, N. H.	2	Rev. Frederick R. Dixon Clergyman Piermont, N. H.
		Sarah J. Montgomery	Orford, N. H.	60 Domestic	Bethlehem, N. H.	Dorothy Kenney	Connecticut	1	
Aug.	11 Orford, N. H.	Henry VanDyne Osten	New York, N. Y.	26 Lawyer	Brooklyn, N. Y.	Flo. McGranaghan	Berkhead, Eng.	1	Rev. Edmunds H. Dickinson Minister Lyme, N. H.
		Lois Ann Miller	Miami Beach, Fla.	23 At Home	Cincinnati, Ohio	Higinil Aja	Santander, Spain	1	
*Nov.	28 Orford, N. H.	William B. Edgar	Summit, N. J.	20 U. S. Navy	San Fran., Calif.	Alfred Borne	Santander, Spain	1	Rev. J. Holland Maughan Clergyman Orford, N. H.
		Patricia S. Hammond	New York, N. Y.	22 Secretary	New Haven, Conn.	Theresa Malanda	Morrisville, Vt.	1	
						Ithima I. Brown	Whitefield, N. H.	1	
						George Place	Windsor, Vt.	1	
						Elmora Fisher	Windsor, Vt.	1	
						George F. Osten	Brooklyn, N. Y.	1	
						Mabel Hendrickson	Brooklyn, N. Y.	1	
						Peter W. Miller	Cincinnati, Ohio	1	
						Viola M. McCaffery	Cincinnati, Ohio	1	
						Malcolm S. Edgar	Philadelphia, Pa.	1	
						Frances G. Belknap	Newport, R. I.	1	
						John W. Hammond	Bridgeport, Conn.	1	
						Adelaide Meara	New York, N. Y.	1	

*Nov.	29	Orford, N. H.	Arthur A. Greer	Orford, N. H.	14	Student	Middleboro, Mass.	Nelson R. Greer	Bethlehem, N. H.	1	Rev. J. Holland
			Elaine R. Paige	Groton, Vt.	17	At Home	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Dorothy E. Sanborn	Bradford, Vt.	1	Maughan, Clergy-
Dec.	3	Orford, N. H.	Robert H. Smith	Orford, N. H.	20	U. S. Air Force	Fairlee, Vt.	Clinton K. Paige	Groton, Vt.	1	man Orford, N. H.
			Marylyn A. Robinson	Post Mills, Vt.	18	At Home	Post Mills, Vt.	Katie W. Abbott	McIndoes, Vt.	1	Rev. J. Holland
Dec.	24	Orford, N. H.	Leon C. Marsh, Jr.	Orford, N. H.	21	U. S. Army	Orford, N. H.	Leona Strout	Old Town, Me.	1	Maughan, Clergy-
			Helen A. Huckins	Orford, N. H.	18	At Home	Orford, N. H.	Mildred Ackerman	Thetford, Vt.	1	man Orford, N. H.
							Orford, N. H.	Irene C. Marsh	Orford, N. H.	1	Rev. J. Holland
							Hanover, N. H.	George C. Elliott	Littleton, N. H.	1	Maughan, Clergy-
								George C. Huckins	Orford, N. H.	1	man Orford, N. H.
								Hazel M. Williams	Barre, Vt.	1	

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HAZEL W. HUCKINS, Town Clerk.

**BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ORFORD FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1952**

Date	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Sex and Condition		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
			Male or Female	Living or Stillborn						
Jan. 31	Haverhill, N. H.	John Bonnett	M.	Living	Donald L. Tyler	Marion C. Bonnett	Orford, N. H.	Rest. Owner	New Hampshire	Fairlee, Vt.
Feb. 19	Orford, N. H.	Unnamed	F.	Living	Ralph E. Marsh	Glady's A. Cutler	Orford, N. H.	Laborer	Orford, N. H.	Crafton, N. H.
Mar. 5	Lebanon, N. H.	Paula Elizabeth	F.	Living	Arvid H. Johnson	Mary E. Strickland	Orford, N. H.	Contractor	Minneapolis	Goldsboro, N. C.
Mar. 16	Haverhill, N. H.	Darlene Marie	F.	Living	Donald R. Covey	Dorothy I. Marsh	Orford, N. H.	Laborer	W. Fairlee, Vt.	Orford, Vt.
April 16	Haverhill, N. H.	David Robert	M.	Living	Guy W. Smith	Virginia R. Roberts	Orford, N. H.	Repair Man	Orford, N. H.	Fairlee, Vt.
June 1	St. J's Y. Vt.	Linda Chan r	F.	Living	Frank M. Quimby	Marceline K. Day	Orford, N. H.	Laborer	Enfield, N. H.	Littleton, N. H.
June 1	Haverhill, N. H.	Sandra Lee	F.	Living	Walter E. Kennesson	Pearl L. Moses	Orford, N. H.	Laborer	Lowell, Mass.	Haverhill, N. H.
June 9	Haverhill, N. H.	Timothy Ross	M.	Living	Stanley R. Chase	Eleanor A. Perry	Orford, N. H.	Farmer	Orford, N. H.	Haverhill, N. H.
June 9	Lebanon, N. H.	Lois May	F.	Living	Harold R. Adams	Rachel A. Fillian	Orford, N. H.	Carpenter	Fairlee, Vt.	Anson, Me.
June 10	Haverhill, N. H.	Victoria Lee	F.	Living	William L. Fish	Edna M. Canfield	Orford, N. H.	Lumberman	Randolph, Vt.	Wentworth, N. H.
June 18	Lebanon, N. H.	Robert Wm.	M.	Living	William R. Fillian	Winifred A. Bulman	Orford, N. H.	Laborer	Wentworth, N. H.	Haverhill, N. H.
June 18	Haverhill, N. H.	Infant	M.	Living	Leon F. Young	Elizabeth I. Pike	Orford, N. H.	U. S. Army	Orford, N. H.	Orford, N. H.
Aug. 23	Haverhill, N. H.	Alvin Dana	M.	Living	Dana A. Nichols	Doris E. Tullis	Orford, N. H.	Truck Driver	E. Concord, Vt.	Wells, Me.
Aug. 23	Haverhill, N. H.	John Kenneth	M.	Living	John H. Naughtan	Lillian Margeson	Orford, N. H.	Clergyman	Dodgeville, Wis.	Evansville, Mass.
Oct. 4	Haverhill, N. H.	Barbara Ellen	F.	Living	Leverne H. Schauer	Myrtle F. Chase	Orford, N. H.	Laborer	Delaware	N. Read g, Mass.
Oct. 8	Plymouth, N. H.	Allen Lee	M.	Living	Royden H. Daisey	Ramona J. Wing	Orford, N. H.	Farmer	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Nov. 2	Haverhill, N. H.	Carl Walter	M.	Living	Ralph E. Dennis	Bearnice B. Fillian	Orford, N. H.	Laborer	Orford, N. H.	Orford, N. H.
Nov. 9	Orford, N. H.	Pamela Ann	F.	Living	Walter H. Perry	Beulah B. Bockus	Orford, N. H.	Laborer	Saranac, N. Y.	Wentworth, N. H.
Dec. 12	Orford, N. H.	Terry Edward	M.	Living	George C. Dyke		Orford, N. H.	Lumberman	Newbury, Vt.	Weth sfd, Conn.

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# DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ORFORD FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1952

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	AGE			Place of Birth	Sex and Condit'n	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Years	Months	Days					
Jan. 15	Orford, N. H.	John Latty	78			England	M	Laborer	Thomas Latty	Carrie Young
Feb. 19	Orford, N. H.	Infant Marsh	10 min.			Orford, N. H.	F		Ralph E. Marsh	Grace A. Cudler
Jan. 20	Hanover, N. H.	Edgar C. Lufkin	94			Rumford, Me.	M	Retired Farmer	Newell Lufkin	Lucy Kimball
Feb. 1	Bradford, Vt.	Frank F. Shepard	66			Moria, N. Y.	M	Carpenter	Steve Shepard	Charlotte Wood
Apr. 19	Winchester, Mass.	Henry H. Hutchins	61	6	16		M			
Apr. 23	Hanover, N. H.	Nicholas J. Sherry	58			Summit, N. J.	M	Plumber	Timothy Sherry	Anna Mooney
May 1	Warren, N. H.	Florence M. Pease	63			Franconia, N. H.	F	Rug Maker	Edward Edgerly	Stella M. Combs
May 10	Orford, N. H.	David C. Marsh	84			West Fairlee Center, Vt.	M	Retired Farmer	George Marsh	Mary Dixon
May 13	Orford, N. H.	Mary A. Lynes	81			Glover, Vt.	F	Housewife	James F. Young	
June 18	Hanover, N. H.	Infant Young	7 1/4 hrs.			Hanover, N. H.	M		Leon F. Young	Winifred Butman
July 9	Orford, N. H.	Mae A. Nichols	69	1	22	Finley, Ohio	F	Housewife	John A. Aurrand	Annette Slack
Aug. 18	Orford, N. H.	William R. Gile	74			West Hartford, Vt.	M	Retired	Henry Gile	Jeannette Larnard
Nov. 27	Loudon, N. H.	Grace Marsh Morse	19			Orford, N. H.	F	Waitress	Frank D. Marsh	Ida Strue

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